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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE FIRST MONTH

Applicant respectfully petitions that he be granted an extension of time within the first month, until September 1, 2007, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a), and 1.7, to file a Request for Continued Examination with a Preliminary Amendment with a Response to the Final Office Action mailed May 1, 2007. Our check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed for the fee for a large entity to obtain this extension.

If for any reason this Petition is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, (781) 890-5678.

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